



IV.-D.

Agenda Item

County of Hanover

Board Meeting: February 25, 2015

Subject:

Adoption of Proclamations:

Eagle Scout – Travis Kellam McFaden - **Mechanicsville Magisterial District**

Eagle Scout – Matthew Thomas Slicker - **Henry Magisterial District**

**Summary of
Agenda Item:**

It is requested that the Board of Supervisors adopt the attached proclamations congratulating Travis Kellam McFaden in attaining the rank of Eagle Scout on December 16, 2014 and Matthew Thomas Slicker in attaining the rank of Eagle Scout on December 8, 2014, the highest award granted by the Boy Scouts of America.

**County
Administrator's
Recommended
Board Motion:**

A motion to adopt proclamations

DRAFT PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the Boy Scouts of America was incorporated by Mr. William D. Boyce on February 8, 1910; and

WHEREAS the Boy Scouts of America was founded to promote citizenship, training, personal development and fitness of individuals; and

WHEREAS Travis Kellam McFaden is a resident of the Mechanicsville Magisterial District in Hanover County, Virginia, and a junior at Atlee High School; and

WHEREAS on the 16th day of December, 2014, Travis Kellam McFaden attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest award granted by the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS to achieve this high honor Travis Kellam McFaden carried out a community project by planning and constructing a sacristy cabinet to be used by the Christ Church in Amelia County, Virginia; and

WHEREAS Travis Kellam McFaden of Boy Scout Troop 533 which meets at the VFW Post 9808 in Mechanicsville, Virginia, has accomplished those high standards of commitment and has reached the long-sought goal of Eagle Scout; and

WHEREAS the Hanover County Board of Supervisors fully supports the programs of the Boy Scouts of America and recognizes the important service they provide to the youth of our Country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Hanover County Board of Supervisors hereby extends its congratulations to Travis Kellam McFaden and acknowledges the good fortune of the County to have such an outstanding young man as one of its citizens.

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WHEREAS the Boy Scouts of America was incorporated by Mr. William D. Boyce on February 8, 1910; and

WHEREAS the Boy Scouts of America was founded to promote citizenship, training, personal development and fitness of individuals; and

WHEREAS Matthew Thomas Slicker is a resident of the Henry Magisterial District in Hanover County, Virginia, and a senior at Hanover High School; and

WHEREAS on the 8th day of December, 2014, Matthew Thomas Slicker attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest award granted by the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS to achieve this high honor Matthew Thomas Slicker carried out a community project at Rural Point Elementary School in Hanover County, Virginia, by constructing an arbor, six (6) raised garden beds, with one being wheelchair accessible, and two (2) benches creating an outdoor garden to be used as a classroom allowing students to learn about plant growth; and

WHEREAS Matthew Thomas Slicker of Boy Scout Troop 555 which meets at New Hanover Presbyterian Church has accomplished those high standards of commitment and has reached the long-sought goal of Eagle Scout; and

WHEREAS the Hanover County Board of Supervisors fully supports the programs of the Boy Scouts of America and recognizes the important service they provide to the youth of our Country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Hanover County Board of Supervisors does hereby extend its congratulations to Matthew Thomas Slicker and acknowledges the good fortune of the County to have such an outstanding young man as one of its citizens.